

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 10/677,483 Confirmation No.: 4581  
Applicant(s): Randall S. HICKLE  
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Title: METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR PROVIDING ORTHOGONALLY REDUNDANT MONITORING IN A SEDATION AND ANALGESIA SYSTEM  
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Examiner: Catherine WITCZAK  
Docket No.: 82021-0045  
Customer No.: 24633

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
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**RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a Response in response to the non-final Office Action dated **February 5, 2010** in the above-identified application.

Applicant petitions for an extension of time, the fees for which are set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a), for the total number of months checked below:

<u>Total Months Requested</u>	<u>Fee for Extension of Time</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> first month	\$ 130.00/ 65.00
<input type="checkbox"/> second month	\$ 490.00/ 245.00
<input type="checkbox"/> third month	\$1,110.00/ 555.00

Extension of time fee due with this request: **\$ 0.00**

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a Petition therefore.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDT FEE
TOTAL	17	MINUS	20	= 0	X 52/26 =	\$ 0.00
INDEP.	4	MINUS	4	= 0	X 220/110 =	\$ 0.00
<u>      </u> Month Extension of Time						\$ 0.00
<b>SUB-TOTAL</b>						\$ 0.00
Reduce by 1/2 for Small Entity						\$ .00
						<b>TOTAL</b> \$ 0.00

No additional fee is required.

A check in the amount of \$0.00 is attached.

Please charge my Deposit Account No. 50-1349 the amount of \$0.00.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1349.

Any filing fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.

Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: May 5, 2010

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